



RAILWAY YARD AND TRACK MAINTENANCE WORKERS

NOC 74200

Yard workers regulate yard traffic, couple and uncouple trains and perform related yard activities. Track maintenance workers operate machines and equipment to lay, maintain and repair railway tracks.



3-YEAR OUTLOOK



Undetermined

3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

35

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

\$34.00

\$27.88 \$42.00
LOW HIGH

TYPICALLY REQUIRED



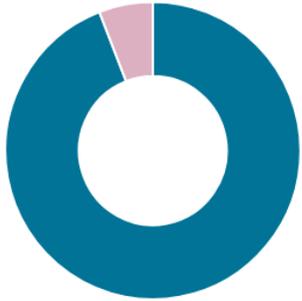
High school / on-the-job training

EMPLOYED

156

AVERAGE SALARY

\$84,000



EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

94.1%	Transportation and warehousing
Suppressed	Suppressed
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5.9%	All Other Industries

EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

Suppressed	15-24
Suppressed	25-34
Suppressed	35-44
Suppressed	45-54
Suppressed	55-64
Suppressed	65+

ALSO KNOWN AS

- Ballast Regulator Operator - Railway
- Car Controller - Railway
- Control Tower Operator - Railway
- Machine Operator - Railway
- Rail Saw Operator
- Railway Equipment Operator

MAIN DUTIES:

- This group performs some or all of the following duties:
- Operate control panel switches from railway yard tower to set traffic signals and to activate train switches that regulate railway traffic in railway yards
 - Operate car retarders, turntables and track switches to align locomotives and cars as required for coupling, uncoupling or servicing
 - Switch cars according to instructions which indicate the location, disposition and number of cars
 - Lubricate moving parts of railway cars and locomotives.

